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Mrs. Maurice R. Eastin
Program Chairman
Women's Court and Civic Conference
2630 North 120th Street
Milwaukee 10, Wisconsin

Dear Mrs. Eastin:

I have received your letter of June 24 in which you kindly invited me to address a luncheon meeting of the Women's Court and Civic Conference.

I appreciate your asking me, but I am afraid I must decline. Because of the nature of my work, I must strive as much as possible to remain out of the public eye. Consequently, I endeavor to limit speaking engagements to schools of the military services.

Sincerely,



Allen W. Dulles
Director

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